

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-5 (Canceled)

6. (Previously Presented) A method of bypassing proxy settings of a computing device on a network wherein the proxy settings do not correspond to the network, the method comprising the steps of:

receiving a request from the computing device in the form of a DNS or IP address;

determining if the request is directed to a proxy server;

responding to the request with the identification of a proxy server associated with the network;

receiving a request from the computing device directed to the proxy server associated with the network, after the step of responding; and

determining the level of access to the proxy server;

redirecting the computing device to a predetermined location if the level of access is determined to not include access outside of the proxy server; and

allowing the request to proceed to the proxy server associated with the network if the level of access is determined to include access outside of the proxy server.

7. (Original) The method of claim 6 wherein the predetermined location comprises a site which requires a login.

8. (Original) The method of claim 6 wherein the step of redirecting further comprises the steps of:

requesting a login from the computing device;

processing the login; and

redirecting the request to proceed to the proxy server upon successful processing.

9-11 (Canceled).